SEMINOLE COUNTY GOVERNMENT AGENDA MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Law Enforcement Trust Fund Expenditure - Contribution to Elizabeth House

DEPARTMENT: Sheriff's Office **DIVISION:**

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MOTION/RECOMMENDATION:

Approval by the Board of County Commissioners to expend \$1,000 from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund to provide for a contribution to Elizabeth House, Inc.

County-wide Penny Fleming

BACKGROUND:

Elizabeth House, Inc., located in Seminole County is a not for profit agency whose mission is aimed at assisting those who are victims of domestic violence. The program stresses education and prevention while providing medical, dental and eye care for program participants. At present, five families are living in the house and approximately 200 additional families per year receive assistance from the Elizabeth House staff. Elizabeth House is in need of financial support in order to continue meeting the needs of its clients. The Sheriff's Office supports the efforts of Elizabeth House, Inc. and desires to contribute \$1,000 utilizing Law Enforcement Trust Fund monies.

This request complies with Chapter 932.7055(4)(a), Florida State Statutes. The State/Local uncommitted Forfeiture Fund Cash Balance prior to this commitment is \$21,256.57.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval by the Board of County Commissioners to expend \$1,000 from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund to provide for a contribution to Elizabeth House, Inc.

Additionally Reviewed By: No additional reviews